GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services - Revenue Department - Sri P. Dharmachandra Reddy, formerly Tahsildar, Bheemunipatnam (M), VSP Dist., presently working as Dy. Collector - Departmental Proceedings under rule 20 read with rule -24 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 - Articles of charges framed and regular inquiry conducted - Charges proved in the enquiry - Penalty of Stoppage of one annual grade increment with cumulative effect - imposed - Orders - Issued.

REVENUE (VIGILANCE -I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.332

Dated: 18.03.2024
Read the following:

1. From the CCLA's Ref.No.VSI(1)/544/2017, Dt:19.12.2017.
2. G.O.Rt. No.922, Revenue (Vigilance-I) Dept., dt:03.07.2018.
3. G.O.Rt. No.925, Revenue (Vigilance-I) Dept., dt:03.07.2018.
4. Written Statement of Defence dt. 25.07.2019 of Sri P. Dharmachandra Reddy, formerly Tahsildar, Bheemunipatnam (M), Visakhapatnam District.
5. G.O.Rt.No.642, Revenue (Vigilance-I) Department, Dated:07.10.2021.
6. G.O.Rt.No.643, Revenue (Vigilance-I) Department, Dated:07.10.2021.
7. From the Collector, Visakhapatnam, letter in Rc.No.2005/2017. /Admin-A1, dt: 06.2023 along with the inquiry report of the Inquiry Authority cum Joint Collector, Visakhapatnam.
8. Memo.No. 16021/19/2018, Revenue (Vig.I) Dept., dt:18.08. 2023).
9. From Sri P. Dharma Chandra Reddy, Deputy Collector & formerly Tahasildar, Bheeminipatnam, Visakhapatnam, Explanation Dt.08.02.2024.

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ORDER:

In the G.Os, 2nd and 3rd read above, Common disciplinary proceedings were initiated against Sri P. Dharmachandra Reddy, formerly Tahsildar, Bheemunipatnam (M), VSP Dist., presently working as Dy. Collector, under rule-20 read with rule -24 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991, for his failure in filing appeal against the Decree and Judgment of the Hon'ble 1st Addl. Sr. Civil Judge in O.S.No.452/94, dt.18-12-1998, which was delivered in favour of Plaintiffs and against the Govt., pertaining to Govt. lands of Bheemunipatnam. In reply, the charged officer has submitted his Written Statement of Defense, and after examining the same, a regular enquiry has been ordered by appointing Joint Collector, Visakhapatnam District and District Revenue Officer, Visakhapatnam as Inquiry Authority and Presenting Officer respectively vide G.Os 5th to 6th read above.

2. The Inquiry Authority cum Joint Collector, Visakhapatnam, after conducting enquiry has submitted his enquiry report 7th read above holding that Articles of Charge-I & II as not proved and Articles of charge-III as partly proved. In the memo, 8th read above, a copy of the enquiry report has been communicated to the Charged Officer, as required under Rule21(2) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules,1991. In reply, the Charged Officer has submitted his explanation 9th read above.

3. Government, after careful examination of the enquiry report and the explanation submitted thereon by the charged officer Sri P. Dharmachandra Reddy, formerly Tahsildar, Bheemunipatnam (M), VSP Dist.,presently working as Dy. Collector have decided to impose a Penalty of Stoppage of one annual grade increment with cumulative effect against him, in this matter.

4. Accordingly, Government hereby impose a Penalty of Stoppage of one annual grade increment with cumulative effect against Sri P. Dharmachandra Reddy, formerly Tahsildar, Bheemunipatnam (M), VSP Dist., presently working as Dy. Collector in the charges framed against him in this matter.

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5. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri/ District Collector, Visakhapatnam shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

AJAY JAIN
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (LANDS)(FAC)

To
Sri P. Dharmachandra Reddy, formerly Tahsildar, Bheemunipatnam (M), VSP Dist.,presently working as Dy. Collector (Through Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri).
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri.
Copy to:
The District Collector, Visakhapatnam.
The Accountant General (A&E), Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
The Revenue (Ser.I) Department.
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SECTION OFFICER